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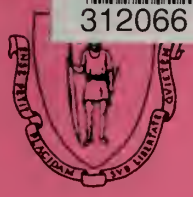

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Introduction

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Population Group A (0 - 1,999)									
Alford	399	did not report							
Aquinnah	344	600	1844	1978	2	12	0	0	0
Ashfield	1,800	5,550	1910	1993	5	20	1	50	200
Becket	1,755	13,500	1849	1998	6	24	0	0	0
Blandford	1,214		1892	1956	0	6	0	0	0
Buckland	1,991	900	1890		2	5	0	0	0
Charlemont	1,358	876	1896	1998	10	15	1	45	74
Chester	1,308	1,200	1927	1998	0	10	0	0	0
Chesterfield	1,201	1,461	1955		5	25	0	0	0
Chilmark	843	3,656	1790	1992	16	19	0	0	0
Clarksburg	1,686	3,250	1998		6	30	1	25	50
Colrain	1,813	3,758	1908	1996	5	17	0	0	0
Conway	1,809	2,500	1901	2001	0	50	0	0	0
Cummington	978	1,050	1872	1950	10	15	0	0	0
Egremont	1,345	1,265	1830	1950	10	15	1	8	9
Erving	1,467	did not report							
Florida	676	914	1967	1996	0	12	0	0	0
Gill	1,363	1,200	1921	1995	2	25	0	0	0
Goshen	921	368	1911	1998	0	12	0	0	0
Gosnold	86	800	1892	1951	0	10	1	4	10
Granville	1,521	1,090	1900		10	12	1	40	49
Hancock	721		1929		0	23	1	23	
Heath	805	1,025	1897	1978	0	4	0	0	0
Hinsdale	1,872	2,850	1900	2001	6	25	1	15	42
Leverett	1,663	805	1916		5	10	0	0	0
Leyden	772	432	1913		6	7	0	0	0
Middlefield	542	1,125	1957		0	10	0	0	0
Monroe	93	did not report							

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Monterey	934	1,200	1931	1998	0	12	0	0	0
Montgomery	654	2,611	1923	1998	8	12	1	100	20
Mount Washington	130	625	1876	1998	0	50	0	0	0
New Braintree	927	3,000	1987		8	20	0	0	0
New Marlborough	1,494	3,542	1998		6	35	0	0	0
New Salem	929	1,464	1839	1995	0	11	0	0	0
Oakham	1,673	1,540	1907	2001	4	25	0	0	0
Otis	1,365	did not report							
Pelham	1,403	7,447	2000		25	67	1	70	96
Peru	821	1,320	1850	1987	4	15	0	0	0
Petersham	1,180	3,400	1891	1994	0	55	0	0	0
Phillipston	1,621	3,042	1790	1975	0	30	0	0	0
Plainfield	589	1,606	1925		24	0	0	0	0
Richmond	1,604	1,800	1900	1995	5	20	0	0	0
Rowe	351	did not report							
Royalston	1,254	1,639	1910		0	21	0	0	0
Russell	1,657			1998	0	21	0	0	0
Sandisfield	824		1976	2001	0	7	1	20	16
Savoy	705	did not report							
Shutesbury	1,810	800	1902		7	5	0	0	0
Tolland	426	800		1990	0	20	0	0	0
Tyringham	350	2,145	1902		0	0	0	0	0
Wales	1,737	2,204	1841	1999	1	20	1	20	0
Warwick	750	2,430	1845	1998	7	40	0	0	0
Wendell	986	1,440	1921	1995	8	10	0	0	0
West Stockbridge	1,416	564	1900	2001	0	15	0	0	0
Westhampton	1,468	2,500	1932	1986	2	24	0	0	0
Whately	1,573		1950	2000	25	12	1	50	45
Windsor	875	580	1920	2001	15	10	0	0	0
Worthington	1,270	1,700	1915	1980	8	20	1	8	20

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Population Group B (2,000 - 4,999)									
Ashby	2,845	1,920	1901		6	25	1	40	40
Avon	4,443	7,400	1948	2001	50	67	0	0	0
Berlin	2,380	3,028	1929		5	15	1	40	
Bernardston	2,155		1863	1983	0	38	0	0	0
Bolton	4,148	3,100	1904		8	16	1	15	88
Boxborough	4,868	3,600	1966	1977	20	25	0	0	0
Boylston	4,008	4,000	1904	1976	15	8	0	0	0
Brimfield	3,339	2,266	1904	1966	8	20	1	40	39
Brookfield	3,051	2,500	1884	1998	0	30	0	0	0
Carlisle	4,717	11,500	1895	2000	33	80	1	50	119
Cheshire	3,401	924	1900	1995	0	14	0	0	0
Deerfield	4,750	3,600	1916	1996	10	25	0	0	0
Dunstable	2,829	9,030	1998		42	45	3	100	128
East Brookfield	2,097	14,220	1890	1976	3	10	0	0	0
Edgartown	3,779	7,000	1904	1975	3	70	0	0	0
Essex	3,267	1,800	1892	1986	0	35	0	0	0
Hadley	4,793	12,000	1902		10	50	0	0	0
Hardwick - Gilbertville	2,622	2,010	1912		0	32	0	0	0
Hardwick - Paige Memorial	2,622		1895	1998	3	20	2	20	40
Hatfield	3,249	2,076	1894	1957	6	14	1	16	22
Holland	2,407	670	1912	1990	5	8	0	0	0
Hubbardston	3,909	2,160	1874	2000	6	40	0	0	0
Huntington	2,174	5,494	1975		4	30	0	0	0
Lanesborough	2,990	1,300	1916	1989	6	50	0	0	0
Millville	2,724	2,200	1986	1997	17	24	0	0	0
Nahant	3,632	5,400	1895	1996	0	24	1	8	16
North Brookfield	4,683	7,000	1894	1991	0	44	0	0	0
Northfield - Dickinson	2,951	7,322	1897		6	32	1	8	3

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Northfield - Field	2,951		1900	1989	12	6	1	30	20
Oak Bluffs	3,713	2,407	1800	1990	3	33	0	0	0
Paxton	4,386	7,169	1926	1978	20	40	0	0	0
Plympton	2,637	4,000	1891	1991	15	32	1	30	45
Princeton	3,353	7,105	1884	2000	12	40	2	24	140
Provincetown	3,431	4,800	1873	1993	2	35	0	0	0
Rochester	4,581	2,000	1976		15	30	0	0	0
Sheffield	3,335	10,000	1908	1997	21	60	2	85	51
Shelburne - Arms	2,058	4,500	1914		0	50	0	0	0
Shelburne - Free	2,058	900	1898	1970	0	4	0	0	0
Sherborn	4,200	18,000	1971	2000	20	53	3	200	259
Stockbridge	2,276	3,000	1865	1938	0	60	0	0	0
Sunderland	3,777	3,300	1900		8	27	1	30	50
Tisbury	3,755	9,000	1963	2000	2	64	2	60	185
Truro	2,087	14,000	1999		33	65	2	64	291
Warren - Public Library	4,776	2,835	1890	1920	0	19	0	0	0
Warren - West	4,776	2,000	1905		5	30	0	0	0
Wellfleet	2,749	10,000	1930	1989	40	99	2	100	951
Wenham	4,440	7,300	1857	1977	4	43	0	0	0
West Brookfield	3,804	4,500	1880	1997	0	16	1	50	54
West Newbury	4,149	7,785	1939	1987	13	67	0	0	0
West Tisbury	2,467	5,620	1992	1995	16	20	1	50	78
Williamsburg - Meekins	2,427	2,500	1896		0	35	0	0	0

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Population Group C (5,000 - 9,999)									
Adams	8,809	5,996	1897	1986	0	67	3	300	173
Ashburnham	5,546	9,000	1995	1986	0	47	2	150	312
Ayer	7,287	13,000	1894	1997	45	70	1	55	72
Barre	5,113	12,900	1887	2000	0	37	2	20	10
Berkley	5,749	2,465	1918		26	28	0	0	0
Blackstone	8,804	1,380	1978		0	19	0	0	0
Boxford	7,921	4,762	1841	1983	14	36	0	0	0
Chatham - Eldredge	6,625	18,000	1896	1992	14	103	3	200	589
Chatham - South	6,625	361	1934	1998	0	6	0	0	0
Cohasset	7,261	9,600	1903	1972	7	50	0	0	0
Dalton	6,892	5,335	1896	1976	0	61	0	0	0
Dighton	6,175	3,000	1910	1997	0	40	0	0	0
Douglas	7,045	4,200	1903	1903	0	40	1	50	65
Dover	5,558	12,000	1968	1996	42	72	1	65	457
Eastham	5,453	8,632	1897	1988	26	52	1	15	72
Freetown	8,472	1,710	1947		0	20	0	0	0
Georgetown	7,377	4,390	1904	1998	14	44	0	0	0
Granby	6,132	2,500	1918		10	19	0	0	0
Great Barrington	7,527	7,200	1913		0	56	0	0	0
Groton	9,547	17,417	1893	1999	41	86	0	75	447
Groveland	6,038	4,933	1978		16	78	1	75	126
Halifax	7,500	6,700	1995	1995	20	65	1	60	215
Hamilton	8,315	6,700	1962	1987	12	38	0	0	0
Hampden	5,171	3,600	1932	1987	0	20	1	25	168
Hanson	9,495	8,195	1991		40	54	2	90	
Harvard	5,981	7,420	1886	1983	0	33	1	90	502
Hopedale	5,907	10,656	1898	1999	0	56	1	50	139
Lakeville	9,821	2,500	1914	1974	9	25	0	0	0

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Lancaster	7,380	19,147	1862	1999	45	40	2	60	126
Lee	5,985	5,500	1908	1977	17	54	1	60	142
Lenox	5,077	13,311	1815	1964	0	59	2	100	33
Lincoln	8,056	18,641	1884	1989	30	95	2	50	312
Littleton	8,184	16,000	1952	1989	22	77	4	70	492
Lunenburg	9,401	4,100	1910	1963	8	27	1	24	394
Manchester-by-the-Sea	5,228	6,846	1886	1965	0	44	0	0	0
Marion	5,123	6,300	1872	1980	0	41	2	7	250
Mattapoisett	6,268	5,000	1904	1984	1	62	0	0	0
Mendon	5,286	2,640	1890	1996	2	15	0	0	0
Merrimac	6,138	2,500	1928	1972	0	30	0	0	0
Middleton	7,744	5,484	1891	1980	22	44	0	0	0
Millis	7,902	5,000	1964	1993	14	34	2	40	136
Monson	8,359	10,545	1882	1989	16	60	1	75	151
Montague	8,489	5,500	1904	1995	3	26	1	100	135
Nantucket	9,520	15,000	1847	1996	0	130	3	100	55
Newbury	6,717	14,200	2000		49	73	2	138	69
Norwell	9,765	15,000	1975		25	100	1	100	224
Orange	7,518	6,324	1914		7	44	1	50	170
Orleans	6,341	16,568	1954	2001	37	130	2	100	1,248
Plainville	7,683	7,000	1988	1988	31	57	1	8	20
Rockport	7,767	15,392	1847	1997	15	72	2	110	374
Rowley	5,500	3,450	1930	1978	11	38	1	20	115
Rutland	6,353	16,625	2000	2000	31	75	2	90	4
Salisbury	7,827		1956	1972	15	35	0	0	0
Shirley	6,373	11,300	1997		45	67	1	80	249
Southampton	5,387	6,500	1996	1996	17	53	1	40	107
Southborough	8,781	14,000	1911	1989	45	80	2	50	567
Southwick	8,835	12,000	1999		33	87	1	45	120
Sterling	7,257	9,000	1885	1989	5	53	0	0	0

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Stow	5,902	6,087	1892	1975	8	50	1	66	292
Sturbridge	7,837	9,510	1896	1993	0	40	2	50	310
Sutton	8,250	3,000	1982	1993	5	16	1	14	11
Templeton	6,799	2,500	1885	1999	0	28	0	0	0
Topsfield	6,141	15,896	1934	1999	0	82	3	80	528
Townsend	9,198	4,288	1929		5	31	0	0	0
Upton	5,642	2,290	1876	1972	1	20	0	0	0
Ware	9,707	8,618	1881	1999	0	39	0	0	0
West Boylston	7,481	19,000	1912	1999	2	105	2	80	269
West Bridgewater	6,634	12,366	1990	2000	23	72	3	35	95
Westminster	6,907	16,000	1901	1997	14	100	3	60	402
Williamstown	8,424	17,304	1971	1997	38	128	3	60	208
Winchendon	9,611	12,500	1913		0	40	2	125	102

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Population Group D (10,000 - 14,999)									
Abington	14,605	16,000	1997		50	80	2	50	219
Acushnet	10,161	3,663	1930		4	14	1	60	68
Ashland	14,674	5,000	1904	1963	0	31	1	24	63
Athol	11,299	8,000	1918	1960	0	65	1	50	720
Bedford	12,595	34,168	1967	1999	37	104	2	80	277
Belchertown	12,968	9,930	1887	1999	14	15	1	25	
Brewster	10,094	22,000	1868	1997	51	81	3	150	642
Carver	11,163	21,984	1997	1997	100	116	2	75	514
Charlton	11,263	9,200	1905		20	25	1	50	65
Clinton	13,435	11,506	1903	1992	8	71	0	0	0
Dudley	10,036	2,950	1901	1972	11	40	0	0	0
Duxbury	14,248	39,000	1997		92	207	4	120	768
East Bridgewater	12,974	16,000	1896	2001	52	60	1	40	317
East Longmeadow	14,100	11,000	1967		30	56	1	60	230
Grafton	14,894	7,000	1927		0	38	0	0	0
Hanover	13,164	8,849	1907		27	43	0	0	0
Harwich - Brooks	12,386	20,312	1855	1998	46	147	1	75	141
Harwich - Chase	12,386	1,000	1907	1998	0	18	0	0	0
Harwich - Harwich Port	12,386		1900	2000	8	12	1	50	4
Holbrook	10,785	10,000	1966	1987	37	58	1	65	173
Holliston	13,801	9,217	1904	1987	0	57	1	80	476
Hopkinton	13,346	5,015	1895	1967	0	58	0	0	0
Hull	11,050	3,800	1895	1987	4	33	0	0	0
Ipswich	12,987	17,000	1869	1998	0	94	2	60	213
Kingston	11,780	10,295	1974	1994	55	73	2	40	199
Leicester	10,471	10,536	1895	1996	15	42	1	55	7
Lynnfield	11,542	11,000	1856	1991	20	78	0	0	0
Mashpee	12,946	5,200	1986		25	39	1	35	339
Maynard	10,433	6,882	1962	1976	0	30	0	0	0

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Medfield	12,273	18,756	1917	1998	29	89	2	45	293
Medway	12,448	20,000	1940	1998	38	92	1	100	641
Millbury	12,784	16,500	1915	2000	40	91	2	60	76
Norfolk	10,460	8,800	1845	1985	43	41	1	50	141
North Adams	14,681	15,081	1865		5	70	0	0	0
North Reading	13,837	25,416	1875	1991	34	75	2	75	350
Northborough	14,013	15,000	1894	1975	32	72	1	50	218
Northbridge	13,182	5,000	1917	2001	10	50	1	6	29
Oxford	13,352	22,000	1903	1999	12	84	2	90	91
Palmer	12,497	11,300	1955	1996	48	46	1	150	395
Pepperell	11,142	9,476	1901	1985	51	44	3	50	400
Raynham	11,739	6,288	1949	1992	20	61	1	50	175
Rehoboth	10,172	7,500	1915	1999	50	35	1	210	160
Seekonk	13,425	14,800	1978		0	108	1	80	316
Spencer	11,691	13,500	1889	1996	30	115	1	40	2,028
Swampscott	14,412	17,650	1916	1999	0	102	1	40	160
Tyngsborough	11,081	11,000	1998		88	70	4	105	275
Uxbridge	11,156	9,970	1893	1996	22	47	1	85	1
Wayland	13,100	12,500	1900	1988	58	69	1	60	186
Weston	11,469	20,000	1995		0	230	2	110	505
Westport	14,183	7,056	1971		16	87	1	60	180
Westwood	14,117	18,000	1955	1995	61	87	2	70	506
Whitman	13,882	11,000	1989	1989	30	80	2	50	49
Wilbraham	13,473	13,000	1968		45	51	2	60	423
Wrentham	10,554	13,850	1997		41	84	2	90	503

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Population Group E (15,000 - 24,999)									
Acton - Memorial	20,331	32,109	1889	1998	45	134	2	80	479
Acton - W. Acton	20,331	478	1889	1988	0	12	0	0	0
Amesbury	16,450	11,000	1902	1992	32	53	0	0	0
Auburn	15,901	14,500	1967	1967	51	53	1	80	254
Bellingham	15,314	17,000	1989		45	75	3	100	200
Belmont	24,194	29,650	1965		44	127	2	100	830
Bourne	18,721	16,000	1924	1987	38	48	2	75	531
Burlington	22,876	29,000	1995	1995	66	128	4	125	1,100
Canton	20,775	17,200	1902	1962	33	67	1	42	213
Concord	16,993	27,872	1873	1985	100	147	2	50	352
Dedham	23,464		1886	1956	15	66	1	75	223
Dennis - Memorial	15,973	1,800	1924	1960	0	20	0	0	0
Dennis - Sears	15,973	2,100	1896	1999	8	10	2	109	55
Dennis - South Dennis	15,973	1,298	1857	1964	20	10	1	35	11
Dennis - Town	15,973	5,000		1999	0	30	1	30	81
Dennis - West Dennis	15,973	2,400	1924	1961	10	12	0	0	0
Easthampton	15,994	6,500	1881	1966	1	42	0	0	0
Easton	22,299	12,344	1877	1931	22	75	0	0	0
Fairhaven	16,159	8,430	1889	1997	0	47	1	100	194
Foxborough	16,246	20,000	1967	1999	32	92	2	60	573
Gardner	20,770	17,400	1950	1974	33	83	1	90	338
Greenfield	18,168	11,000	1797	1998	4	71	1	50	170
Hingham	19,882	19,466	1965	1974	98	95	3	90	178
Holden	15,621	21,000	1888	1988	32	92	1	50	201
Hudson	18,113	14,930	1905	1999	18	85	2	125	458
Longmeadow	15,633	20,300	1932	1991	59	119	1	74	514
Ludlow	21,209	12,300	1880	1989	10	83	2	150	405
Mansfield	22,414	15,781	1989		90	70	1	150	198
Marblehead	20,377	25,000	1953	1989	12	144	2	100	179

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							Number of:	Largest Seating Capacity	Number of Times Used in 2001
Marshfield	24,324	14,000	1968	1998	150	108	3	75	531
Middleborough	19,941	25,000	1903	1998	4	102	3	130	405
Newburyport	17,189	38,304	1771	2001	4	131	3	100	30
Norton	18,036	12,058	1991		48	80	2	160	495
Pembroke	16,927	18,000	1998		55	112	2	100	675
Reading	23,708	30,100	1896	1999	48	133	2	100	267
Rockland	17,670	12,480	1903	1992	18	115	1	110	358
Sandwich	20,136	18,000	1911	1984	42	64	3	76	882
Scituate	17,863	24,000	1978	1999	70	132	1	100	384
Sharon	17,408	11,000	1914	1979	0	39	1	60	178
Somerset	18,234		1974		0	0	4	120	
South Hadley - Public	17,196	8,800	1906	1974	8	48	2	50	90
South Hadley - Gaylord	17,196	4,000	1904	1998	12	28	0	0	0
Southbridge	17,214	22,985	1914	2000	38	120	4	100	664
Stoneham	22,219	25,000	1904	1984	37	100	3	100	500
Sudbury	16,841	31,400	1862	1998	82	140	2	100	348
Swansea	15,901	5,850	1900	1964	3	30	1	20	14
Wakefield	24,804	28,000	1922	1998	0	122	3	75	766
Walpole	22,824	17,170	1903	1967	18	74	1	80	150
Wareham	20,335	20,450	1991		49	147	3	100	748
Webster	16,415	6,000	1920	1998	20	35	1	20	68
Westborough	17,997	20,076	1908	1990	4	106	1	55	208
Westford	20,754	17,500	1895	1998	73	106	2	100	1,852
Wilmington	21,363	14,900	1968		27	71	1	55	194
Winchester	20,810	28,000	1932	1996	15	70	1	50	126
Winthrop	18,303	25,000	1899	1972	0	78	2	60	118
Yarmouth	24,807	8,990	1840	1990	20	92	1	100	366

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Population Group F (25,000 - 49,999)									
Agawam	28,144	15,616	1978		35	42	1	88	105
Amherst	34,874	50,000	1928	1993	0	159	3	125	686
Andover	31,247	55,000	1873	1988	69	175	4	150	620
Arlington	42,389	51,000	1892	1994	32	188	2	100	826
Attleboro	42,068	33,000	1907	1993	22	152	3	100	691
Barnstable - Centerville	47,821	3,500	1956	1989	21	66	2	34	206
Barnstable - Cotuit	47,821	5,938	1820	1999	16	53	0	0	0
Barnstable - Hyannis	47,821	16,000	1750	1997	6	91	0	0	0
Barnstable - Marstons Mills	47,821	3,600	1894	1980	4	14	1	60	208
Barnstable - Osterville	47,821	4,500	1958	1987	15	58	0	0	0
Barnstable - Sturgis	47,821	10,750	1644	1997	37	38	2	20	83
Barnstable - Whelden	47,821	1,907	1899	1989	14	55	0	0	0
Beverly	39,862	54,000	1913	1993	25	215	4	100	916
Billerica	38,981	40,000	1895	2000	90	220	2	100	353
Braintree	33,828	30,440	1999	1998	44	157	3	100	447
Bridgewater	25,185	25,610	1972	1995	49	88	2	100	736
Chelmsford	33,858	30,000	1895	1998	73	145	3	80	686
Chelsea	35,080	15,836	1910	1991	0	168	2	125	330
Danvers	25,212	27,000	1892	2000	51	88	1	100	121
Dartmouth	30,666	22,000	1969	1991	51	74	2	100	180
Dracut	28,562	10,500	1923	1978	0	39	0	0	0
Everett	38,037	18,900	1894	1998	0	134	1	60	410
Falmouth - Public Library	32,660	30,000	1901	1978	17	134	2	149	499
Falmouth - West Falmouth	32,660	2,634	1896	1972	30	19	1	80	162
Falmouth - Woods Hole	32,660	5,330	1913	1990	8	35	2	75	81
Fitchburg	39,102	45,000	1950	1993	0	124	3	204	523

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Franklin	29,560	22,000	1904	1987	26	81	1	65	401
Gloucester	30,273	23,528	1764	1976	1	99	1	88	573
Holyoke	39,838	22,000	1902	1990	22	48	1	75	104
Leominster	41,303	21,774	1910	1966	24	134	1	40	488
Lexington	30,355	38,000	1906	1975	61	215	3	50	
Marlborough	36,255	22,300	1905	1969	22	110	2	125	487
Melrose	27,134	25,000	1903	1994	25	160	4	70	328
Methuen	43,789	17,000	1883	2000	33	55	3	250	
Milford	26,799	24,695	1986		30	87	2	125	335
Milton	26,062	13,879	1904	1987	10	55	1	20	156
Natick - Bacon	32,170	3,500	1881	1997	0	30	0	0	0
Natick - Morse	32,170	66,000	1873	1997	184	324	4	170	1,075
Needham	28,911	25,706	1915	1981	55	143	1	80	411
North Andover	27,202	20,052	1907	1994	38	125	3	75	491
North Attleborough	27,143	11,000	1894	1990	0	60	1	75	312
Northampton - Forbes	28,978	42,000	1894	1998	50	100	1	12	81
Northampton - Lilly	28,978	3,750	1890		8	28	0	0	0
Norwood	28,587	28,820	1898	2001	52	110	5	80	6
Peabody	48,129	33,256	1853	1999	31	65	2	125	537
Pittsfield	45,793	53,000	1974	1996	40	235	2	250	507
Randolph	30,963	18,919	1966	1998	0	143	1	150	162
Revere	47,283	7,000	1902		0	92	0	0	0
Salem	40,407	25,500	1855	1996	0	122	0	0	0
Saugus	26,078	16,500	1998		16	154	1	88	457
Shrewsbury	31,640	22,000	1903	1980	48	171	2	91	510
Stoughton	27,149	22,000	1969		23	192	2	150	369
Tewksbury	28,851	35,750	1999		86	220	6	100	340
Watertown	32,986	21,000	1884	1991	6	102	1	6	380
Wellesley	26,613	40,850	1959	1978	71	205	1	62	496

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							Meeting Rooms		
Library	2000 Population	Gross Square Feet	Built in:	Last Renovated in:	Dedicated Parking Spaces	Seating Capacity	Number of:	Largest Seating Capacity	Number of Times Used in 2001
West Springfield	27,899	19,300	1916	1978	41	60	0	0	0
Westfield	40,072	40,000	1838	1967	29	85	3	150	217
Woburn	37,258	18,386	1879		7	60	0	0	0

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							Number of:	Largest Seating Capacity	Number of Times Used in 2001
Population Group G (50,000 - 99,999)									
Brockton	94,304	23,000	1913		14	67	2	171	21
Brookline	57,107	67,300	1909	1970	44	229	2	100	94
Chicopee	54,653	8,500	1913	1999	0	56	0	0	0
Fall River	91,938	39,030	1899	1996	0	90	2	150	355
Framingham	66,910	53,000	1979		130	290	5	80	652
Haverhill	58,969	44,000	1969	1997	88	215	3	150	469
Lawrence	72,043	50,238	1973		18	260	3	200	528
Lynn	89,050	34,000	1900	2000	15	218	1	40	54
Malden	56,340	44,000	1885	1996	0	169	2	100	194
Medford	55,765	22,000	1962	1996	28	138	1	150	260
New Bedford	93,768	40,000	1910	2000	0	80	1	100	160
Newton	83,829	91,000	1991	1998	135	479	4	160	
Plymouth	51,701	52,000	1991		82	290	2	125	371
Quincy	88,025	56,517	1882	2000	63	286	5	125	169
Somerville	77,478	29,000	1913	1976	15	105	1	72	260
Taunton	55,976	22,750	1904	1979	30	72	2	75	219
Waltham	59,226	44,700	1914	1994	32	230	4	100	421
Weymouth	53,988	33,000	1965	1999	40	208	3	75	590

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							Number of:	Largest Seating Capacity	Number of Times Used in 2001
Population Group H (100,000 +)									
Boston	589,141	170,000	1895	1997	0	2,150	9	342	1,560
Cambridge	101,355	35,000	1888	1967	34	100	1	100	
Lowell	105,167	did not report							
Springfield	152,082	69,622	1912	1997	210	174	0	0	0
Worcester	172,648	72,745			150	177	2	45	54

Appendix - Definitions for Data
Main Library Facilities Report, FY2001
(July 1, 2000 - June 30, 2001)

Column Heading	Definition (Data as of 6/30/01)
Library	Name of the municipality. The shortened library name follows when there is more than one independent library in the community.
2000 Pop	Population of the municipality from the 2000 U.S. Census.
Gross Square Feet	Estimate of the square feet of the floor area under the main library's roof including support spaces such as elevator shafts, entryways, mechanical rooms, rest rooms, stairwells etc.
Built in	Year in which the original portion of the current main library building was constructed.
Last Renovated in	Year in which the current main library building was most recently renovated.
Dedicated Parking Spaces	The number of parking spaces, on the street identified with signs as for "library patrons only" and/or spaces in a parking lot designed solely for the library, and/or a proportion of spaces in a parking lot shared with another enterprise; excludes staff parking spaces and street parking not expressly signed as for the library.
Seating Capacity	In the main library, the number of seats provided for public use including general reading area seats, lounge seats, group study seats, audio-visual area seats or other seating when available on an open basis. Seats at computer or CD/ROM workstations, microform readers and other 'nonstudy' seats should not be counted in the total, nor should seats in rooms such as auditoriums and general meeting rooms not normally open at all times to library patrons.
Meeting Rooms: #	Total number of room(s) in the main library where two or more members of the public may meet after reserving the space with library staff. This includes conference rooms, auditoriums, general program rooms and rooms where ESL and literacy training takes place. Excluded are rooms dedicated to such activities as computer training labs and quiet and/or group study rooms. Also excluded are areas that are normally public service areas, such as reference, children's and local history rooms and meeting rooms in the branches.
Meeting Rooms: Largest Seating Capacity	In the main library, the number of auditorium style seats that can be accommodated in the largest meeting room, or the capacity as determined by the Fire or Building Inspector.
Meeting Rooms: # Times Used in FY2001	Total number of meetings, during FY2001, of two or more people in all the main library's meeting room(s) after a reservation has been made. Includes all meetings except library staff meetings. Please note, some libraries without meeting rooms frequently provide space in their public areas for community groups to meet, for example, in the reference area, periodicals room or reading room; those uses are not counted here.

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Arlington	12
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Ashby	3
Ashfield	1
Ashland	8
Athol	8
Attleboro	12
Auburn	10
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Barnstable	12
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Blandford	1
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Brookfield	3
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Chesterfield	1
Chicopee	15
Chilmark	1
Clarksburg	1
Clinton	8
Cohasset	5
Colrain	1
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Conway	1
Cummington	1
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Danvers	12
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Everett	12
Fairhaven	10
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Fitchburg	12
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Foxborough	10
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Franklin	13
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Gill	1
Gloucester	13
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Great Barrington	5
Greenfield	10
Groton	5
Groveland	5
Hadley	3
Halifax	5
Hamilton	5
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Hanover	8
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Harvard	5
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Orleans	6
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Pelham	2
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Peru	2
Petersham	2
Phillipston	2
Pittsfield	13
Plainfield	2
Plainville	6
Plymouth	15
Plympton	4
Princeton	4
Provincetown	4
Quincy	15
Randolph	13
Raynham	9
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Rowe	2
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- ***Children's Services, FYxxxx Data*** (distributed in May)
  Selected statistics related to children's services including staffing, programming, holdings and circulation.
- ***Circulation and Holdings Report, FYxxxx*** (distributed in January)
  Various public library circulation and holdings raw data. Also includes circulation per FTE, per hour open and per capita and holdings per capita data.
- ***Education & Staffing Report, 7-1-xxxx*** (distributed in January)
  Public library staffing levels and distribution of the staff's highest educational level. Staffing level data includes: total full-time equivalencies (FTE), number full time and part time, and FTE for MLS, librarian, children's librarian and non-custodian positions as well as total hours open per non-custodian FTE. Director's education level and length of work week are displayed.
- ***Electronic Services, FYxxxx Data*** (distributed in May)
  Selected statistics related to electronic services including: web page hits, uses of electronic resources, electronic subscriptions and materials in electronic format.
- ***Featured Reports, FYxxxx Data*** (distributed in the spring)
  Reports on changing topics present public library data not displayed in other reports.
- ***Financial Statistics Report, FYxxxx Data*** (distributed in February)
  Raw and per capita figures for each reporting public library's (including branches) total municipal appropriation, operating income, and salary, materials, other and total operating expenditures. Also included are percent of total operating expenditures spent for salaries, materials and other expenditures.
- ***The FYxxxx Municipal Pie...What's Your Share?*** (distributed in March)
  Relates the amount expended from the general fund by each city and town on public library service, to the amount expended to operate the entire municipality.
- ***Public Library Outlets, FYxxxx Data*** (distributed in May)
  Selected statistics relating to public library outlets including: staffing, holdings and circulation.
- ***Rankings Report, xxxx Data*** (distributed in March)
  Each municipality's rank within its population group and within the entire state based on its library's per capita values for certain income and expenditure data. For services, the indicators are: FTE per 10,000 population, MLS FTE per 10,000, hours open per week, direct and total circulation per capita and holdings per capita.
- ***Salaries Report, 7-1-xxxx*** (distributed in January)
  Hourly minimum and maximum salaries for up to 17 public library position classifications from Library Director to Custodian. Annual salary for the Library Director is also displayed.
- **Services Report, FYxxxx** (distributed in January)
  Services data includes number of terminals with Internet, GUI access, average weekly visits, reference questions and hours open. Counts are provided for weekend days open, branches, adult and children's programs and attendance. Average hours open on weekends is also shown.
- ***Summary Tables and Graphs, xxxx Data*** (distributed in March)
  Statewide, population group and regional totals of various incomes, expenditures, holdings, circulation, services and staffing data. Subject index provided.

Massachusetts Academic Library Data, Fall xxxx, Selected Statistics (distributed in the spring)

Massachusetts School Library Media Center Report, Fall xxxx (distributed in May)

Massachusetts Special Library Statistics Report, FYxxxx Data (distributed in November)

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